

REMARKS

Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

I. Status of the Claims

Claims 1 - 22 are presently pending.

Claims 1 - 7, 11 - 18 and 22 are amended without the introduction of new matter.

II. Rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 101

Claims 1 - 22 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 101 as being directed to non-statutory subject matter. Specifically, the Examiner finds that there are “multiple instances throughout the [claims] that positively recite human body parts, which is non-statutory subject matter.” Applicants amend claims 1 - 7, 11 - 18 and 22 to eliminate all elements that may have been construed as positively reciting human body parts, and to address other minor informalities. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that the rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 101 be withdrawn..

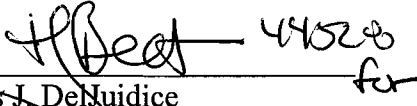
CONCLUSION

In view of the above amendments, Applicants believe the pending application is in condition for allowance. Accordingly, the Examiner is respectfully requested to pass this application to issue.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number indicated below once he has reviewed the proposed amendment if the Examiner believes any issue can be resolved through either a Supplemental Response or an Examiner's Amendment.

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Respectfully submitted,

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